

## GREAT SECRET

## FINANCIAL

## STOCKS AND BONDS

New York, July 6.—The stock market was extremely dull today. The tendency of prices during the morning was downward. As soon as the pressure was lifted and the bears started in to cover the tempest of speculation took sharp change for the better. The rise continued in the afternoon, and although the improvement was not all maintained, we still closed slightly higher than yesterday.

Stocks were quite dull, with sales of only 5000 shares at unchanged prices.

A good deal of talk is being indulged in regarding the prospects of a drought in Texas. Other advices are in line with the report of the Houston Post, which intimates that the dry spell has been of decided benefit to the crop in giving farmers a chance to clean their fields thoroughly.

## PRODUCE

## ST. LOUIS PRODUCE

St. Louis, Mo., July 6.—Flour, steady and unchanged.

Wheat advanced 1/2 cent early, but subsequently regained the loss and closed half above yesterday. Cash and July 61-2½; August, 64 1-2½; September, 66 7-8½.

Corn advanced under the influence of wheat and closed 5-8½¢ above yesterday. Cash, 37c; July, 37 1-2½; September, 38 7-8½.

Oats stronger. Cash, 20c; July, 21 1-2; August, 24 1-2½; September, 24 3-4.

Cornmeal, firm, \$1.85/1.90.

Wheats, steady, \$1.12.

Provisions, firm.

Bacon, current, make jobbing \$18.50.

Deli. salt, meat, loose shoulders, \$8.12½.

Lemons and ribs, \$0.00.

Shorts, \$0.07 1-2½ boxed lots, 15c more.

Bacon, shoulders, \$0.25; longs and ribs, \$0.25; shorts, \$0.25.

Sugar, cutted cans, 13d 14c.

## CHICAGO PRODUCE

Chicago, Ills., July 6.—Slighted crop damage reports gave wheat a good lift today. The market turned from rather weak to very strong and closed firm with a gain of 1 cent over the opening prices, and 3-4 above yesterday's quotations for September.

Corn was firm and increased in price and firmness as the season progressed, closing with a net gain of 1-2 cent.

Provisions dull but firm.

Lending futures closed:

Wheat—July 64 3-4½/04 7-8; September 63 8-8½/04 12-12½; December 74 12-12½.

Corn—July 40 1-2; August 41 1-2.

Oats—July 28 3-4; August 29 3-4.

Millet—July 30 3-4; August 31 3-4.

Good middling—July 31 3-4; August 32 3-4.

Middling fair—July 32 3-4; August 33 3-4.

Sales, 600 bushels.

ST. LOUIS SUGAR

St. Louis, Mo., July 6.—Cotton, uncharred, 2800000 shipments, 15c more.

Chloride, 10c more.

French, 10c more.

Spanish, 10c more.

Italian, 10c more.

British, 10c more.

American, 10c more.

Stocks and Bonds

New York, July 6.—Stocks and bonds closed at the following prices bid:

United States registered, 110.

United States 5% consols, 110.

Central States 4%, 100.

Denver and Rio Grande, 102.

Missouri Pacific and St. Louis, 90.

St. Louis and iron Mountain general, 98.

St. Louis and San Francisco general mortgage, 104.

Texas and Pacific bond, 100.

Texas and Pacific 4% bonds, 100.

Stocks and Bonds

New York, July 6.—(Special)—

Sterling, 60 days, 1-2 1/2.

New York sight, 100.

New Orleans sight, 100.

American silver, 100.

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New York, July 6.—(Special)—

Sterling—Commercial, 100.

Bank—Commercial, 100.